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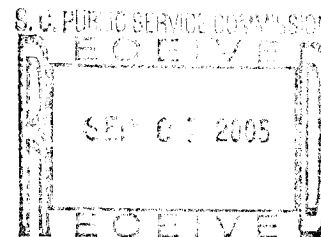
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September 6, 2005

VIA U.S. MAIL

Mr. Charles L.A. Terreni
Chief Clerk/Administrator
South Carolina Public Service Commission
101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100
Columbia, SC 29210



Re: Joint Petition for Notice/Approval of Agreement and Reassignment of
Service Areas by Duke Power, a Division of Duke Energy Corporation
and York Electric Cooperative, Incorporated
Docket No. 2005-230-E


Dear Mr. Terreni:

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Enclosed for filing please find the original and one (1) copy of the Notice of
Appearance of Counsel in the above referenced matter. Please date stamp the extra copy
enclosed and return it to me in the envelope provided.

Also, we have served same on Counsel for the Applicant and enclose a Certificate
of Service to that effect.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,


C. Lessie Hammonds

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Enclosures

cc: William F. Austin, Esquire
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James L. Thorne, Esquire
Richard L. Whitt, Esquire

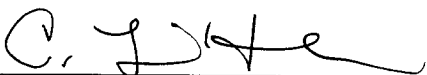
BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 2005-230-E

IN RE:

Joint Petition for Notice/Approval)	
Of Agreement and Reassignment of)	
Service Areas by Duke Power, a)	NOTICE OF APPEARANCE
Division of Duke Energy Corporation)	OF COUNSEL
And York Electric Cooperative, Inc.)	
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TO: LAWRENCE B. SOMERS, ESQUIRE, WILLIAM F. AUSTIN, ESQUIRE AND RICHARD L. WHITT, ESQUIRE, COUNSELS FOR THE APPLICANT, DUKE POWER, A DIVISION OF DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION, AND JAMES L. THORNE, ESQUIRE, COUNSEL FOR THE APPLICANT, YORK ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that C. Lessie Hammonds gives notice of appearance of counsel for the Office of Regulatory Staff in the above-captioned matter. Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-4-10 as enacted by 2004 S.C. Acts 175, the Office of Regulatory Staff is a party of record in all filings, applications, and proceedings before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina. Any further information or correspondence filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina and should also be served on the undersigned as counsel for the Office of Regulatory Staff.



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IN RE:


Joint Petition for Notice/Approval)	
Of Agreement and Reassignment of)	
Service Areas by Duke Power, a)	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
Division of Duke Energy Corporation)	
And York Electric Cooperative, Inc.)	
_____)	

This is to certify that I, Rena Grant, an employee with the Office of Regulatory Staff, have this date served one (1) copy of the **NOTICE OF APPEARANCE OF COUNSEL** in the above-referenced matter to the person(s) named below by causing said copy to be deposited in the United States Postal Service, first class postage prepaid and affixed thereto, and addressed as shown below:

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